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In the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 9, 2005, the amendment filed on 12/21/2005 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 for the reasons which follow: the drawings are not properly identified in the top margin as "Replacement Sheet," "New Sheet," or "Annotated Sheet" as required by 37 CFR 1.121(d). Accordingly, Applicant has amended the drawing to be properly identified as "Replacement Sheet."

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Respectfully Submitted,

  
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